Canzoniero and Macy win co-chairs in HPC elections

By BEVIN KOVALIK
News Writer

The Hall Presidents' Council (HPC) elected new co-chairpersons for the 1993-94 year Tuesday, according to Jason Coye, HPC co-chair.

Howard Hall President Jackie Macy and Alumni Hall President Chris Canzoniero were unopposed and won by a unanimous decision, said Coye.

Effective immediately following spring break, Macy and Canzoniero will replace seniors Coye and Marianne Ivany as HPC co-chairs.

"I think Chris and Jackie will do a great job serving the student body," Coye said. "They hope to build on what HPC has already done this year such as funding various speakers and sponsoring the service project to make HPC a more service-oriented body."

HPC consists of a special group of leaders who have the representation and power to do great things for Notre Dame, said Macy. "We hope to use our voices positively represent the student body and to promote school unity among the dorms."

"I think HPC can be a very powerful force in the school," said Canzoniero. "We really appreciate all Jason and Mar­anie have done during their term."

The new HPC officers will officially convene at the next HPC meeting March 16. According to Macy, applications will be taken for the positions of executive coordinator and secretary after that date.

In other business, Students for Environmental Action (SEA) will move their competition to conserve electricity during the month of March. see HPC / page 4

California dreaming

Dreaming of spring vacation, Grace Hall junior James Bukow studies under the Anthony Winship sign in LaFortune Student Center yesterday. During midterms students have all been anticipating spring break.

RHA offices determined in Saint Mary's election

By JENNIFER HABRYCH
Assistant News Editor

Tricia Wallace, Isabel Wagner, Anne Homan, Hedi Fuhr and Shelly Gagnon won yesterday's Residence Hall Association (RHA) elections for president, vice president, treasurer and secretary and National Communications Coordinator, respectively.

All candidates with the exception of president ran unopposed with approximately 21 percent of on-campus students voting, according to RHA President Karen Fordham.

Wallace received 69.6 percent of the vote for president, with 8.1 percent of those voting abstaining. Homan received 93.1 percent of the vote for treasurer, with 6.9 percent abstaining.

Fuhr earned 91.1 percent of the vote for vice president, with 8.9 percent abstaining. Gagnon received 81.9 percent of the vote for National Communications Coordinator, with 13.1 percent abstaining.

The four candidates who won president, vice president, treasurer and secretary and camp­aigned together as a ticket.

"We want to do many things about RHA and what it does," said Wallace. "The parens [sic] changes are just one thing RHA can do. They have a lot of power, we just have to work with residents to let them know about RHA and what it can do."

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Run-off names class officers

Class Election Run-Offs

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| Kendall 51.91%  
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By NANCY DUNN
News Writer

Wednesday's run-off elections resulted in a decisive winner for the class of 1995 but only a slim margin of victory for the class of 1996.

The Bryan Corbett ticket (65.1%) defeated the Ira Wade ticket (34.9%) in the class of 1995 election. Corbett's ticket received a majority of the vote for 21 of the 25 dorms. In the class of 1996, the Ira Wade ticket (51.31%) edged out the Tim Kendall ticket (48.69%) by 27 votes.

"We are really excited that the class showed that much support for us and for our ideas," said newly elected Pres­ident Bryan Corbett. Kendall also thanked his running mate Vice President Colleen Camp­bell, Secretary Nick Galassi, and Treasurer Joe Bergan be­cause "without them victory would have not been possible." Campbell also thanked their supporters and said that she is "ready to start planning some fun for the class of 1996."

The winning ticket for the class of 1996 consists of Presi­dent Corbett, Vice President Sara Ford, Secretary Lauren Adamovich, and Treasurer Marc McDonald.

"We would like to thank ev­eryone who worked on our campaign, and we are excited for next year," Kendall said.

This year's elections went very well and were very un­eventful," said Andrea Sullivan, election committee co-presi­dent. Pete Castelli, judicial council president, added. "I am happy that the candidates participated with such vigor."

GSU names candidates; discusses mail-in ballot

By BRIAN POSNANSKI
News Writer

The Graduate Student Union (GSU) announced its candidates for president Wednesday night at its general meeting in the Foster Student Center.

Rita Francis, a graduate student in the department of biochemistry, and Ed Wingenbach, a student in the government department, entered their names into the race for president.

Wingenbach said that grad­uate students' problems should be reform in the GSU election pro­cess such as allowing students to write in candidates on a double ticket as they did in the past, the positions of president and vice president should be elected separately.

"I'm sort of fed up with the way things have gone," Wingenbach said that graduates need to start moving for a more participatory orga­nization. "I'm really excited that Appalachian State students have really turned out for our proposed ticket {34.9%) in the class of 1996 versus Ira Wade {25.1%) in the class of 1995."

The announcement of the two candidates comes during the peak of GSU's election pro­cess which provides the best possible framework."

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By MARY MURPHY
News Writer

The Helsinki meeting was a "welcoming of the presence of the committee and the process­ing of grants for traveling. She also stressed the quality of life issues such as child care.

There were no nominations for vice president. "In the absence of candidates it will be taken care of by the graduate student de­partment," said newly elected President Bryan Corbett.

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Schlagler: CSCE fills vital world role

The Commission for Security and Cooperation in Europe (C.S.C.E.) is an international governmental human rights or­ganization and a vital force in today's political arena accord­ing to Erick Schlagler, U.S. de­legate to diplomatic democracy to C.S.C.E."

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The C.S.C.E. took two decades to form a conference due to opposition by Western countries, the U.S. and the Federal Republic of Ger­many. Fear of the C.S.C.E. German feared the commission would "lead to the rise of the West and the unification of the entire continent," Schlager said. It was also a very pivotal event which catalyst some western countries, and the Iron Curtain was catalyzed. Leaders recounted pivotal events which they had created. C.S.C.E. created the commission and the future of Human Rights in Europe" Schlagler said. The C.S.C.E. is organized as an ongoing process which provides the best potential framework."

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Look back at your past with an eye on your future

"Where I was born and where I have been above all is not important. It is what I have done with where I have been that should be of interest." — Georgia O'Keeffe

John Rock
Managing Editor

These words from Georgia O’Keeffe may not seem all that relevant to a generation that is coming of age. The teachings of Notre Dame and Saint Mary’s aren’t really all that far along that vivacious concept called “life.” If this sounds obvious enough, but in the normal course of human life, the only thing not from a text or lecture, but from the tomes of philosophical discourse absorbed we learn from the past is that we don’t learn from it.

That question faces us as what are we going to be with problems in this formation of our personhood. Who we are and how and where I have lived is unimportant. It’s what I have done with where I have been that should be of interest. The omnipresent “they” say that “you learn something new every day.” I will not dispute that, but only conclude that our formation of personhood may go on strike at a plant in Kansas City that builds some of the automaker’s best-selling trucks. The strike threatens to undo his legacy after the legislative elections this month, which they seem assured of winning. Conservatives believe Lang has trivialized civilization and pandered to the lowest common denominator. Plagued by numerous scandals and high unemployment, the Socialists’ support has fallen to about 14 percent of the population, according to polls leading up to the March 21 legislative elections.

Socialists’ cultural policies assailed

PARIS — Graffiti on display at museums. State-subsidized rap music. Condoms dispensed at high schools. In his 12 years in office, Culture Minister Jack Lang has redefined French culture, flooding traditional and mixing high brow with low. He has financed fashion and haute cuisine, cinema and rock ’n’ roll, symphony and the circus. French conservatives will be doing their best to undo his legacy after the legislative elections this month, which they seem assured of winning. Conservatives believe Lang has trivialized civilization and pandered to the lowest common denominator. Plagued by numerous scandals and high unemployment, the Socialists’ support has fallen to about 14 percent of the population, according to polls leading up to the March 21 legislative elections.

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WEATHER REPORT
Forecast for noon, Wednesday, March 3

FORCAST

Cloudy and cold

Thursday with an 80 percent chance of rain and highs in the lower 30s. Cloudy Friday with an 80 percent chance of snow and high in the mid 30s.

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MARKET UPDATE

YESTERDAY’S TRADING
March 3

VOLUME IN SHARES
272,337,913

NYSE INDEX
+0.87 to 247.41

S&P COMPOSITE
+0.87 to 3,454.04

DOW JONES INDUSTRIALS
+0.87 to 3,454.04

GOLD
$60.50 +$2.797.00

SILVER
$8.70 +$0.564.50

ON THIS DAY IN HISTORY

In 1789: The Constitution of the United States went into effect as the first Federal Congress met in New York.

In 1837: The Illinois state legislature granted a city charter to Chicago.

In 1917: Republican Jeanette Rankin of Montana took her seat as a member of Congress, the first woman to be elected to the House of Representatives.

In 1933: President F.D.R. pledged effective leadership to pull the U.S. out of the Great Depression, saying, “The only thing we have to fear is fear itself.”

In 1952: Actor Horatius Keet and actress Nancy Davis were married in San Fernando Valley, Calif.

In 1992: Another round of Middle East peace negotiations concluded with the Israeli prime minister signing the Basic Law to Lebanon and Syria.

Bags of marijuana wash ashore

CORDOVA, Alaska — Prince William Sound has given much to this fishing village, but nothing like the vacuum-packed bags of marijuana that began washing ashore last week. Since Feb. 23 authorities have found more than 140 pounds on the beach, and they seized 20 pounds more from a man who apparently got there first.

It’s awkwardly hard telling where this came from,” said Chief Kevin Clayton said Tuesday. He said investigators aren’t even sure in which direction the marijuana was heading — out of or toward Alaska. The state has a significant marijuana crop. Police in Cordova were tipped off to the illegal flotsam by a caller who said a man in town had come upon a large quantity of marijuana and was trying to sell it. The police also say they used the street value of the marijuana at about $780,000. He said nearly all of the bags were still watertight. “I sure would like to know what kind of vacuum these were used.”

CAMPUS

Faccenda receives excellence award

NOTRE DAME — Philip Faccenda, assistant vice president and general counsel of the University of Notre Dame, has received the 1993 Award for Excellence in Legal Practice from St. Ignatius College Prep, Chicago’s oldest preparatory school. Faccenda, a 1947 St. Ignatius graduate, accepted the award at a luncheon February 26, at Chicago’s Midland Hotel. St. Ignatius was the forerunner to Chicago’s Loyola University, from which Faccenda received his law degree. He graduated from Notre Dame in 1951 with a bachelor’s degree in mechanical engineering. Faccenda became a partner for Pennsylvania’s general counsel in 1970 and also has served as a University trustee and vice president for student affairs. A former president of the Notre Dame Alumni Association, he joined the University administration as a special assistant to the president in 1967, during the changeover to lay governance.
Professors named to foreign programs

Special to The Saint and literatures at Notre Dame, has been named director of the professor of romance languages University's Innsbruck named the new director of the Program, France, director of International Study years beginning in the Fall as part of the current academic year. Notre programs. 1993 are enrolled in the Angers de International D'Etude Francaises Notre Dame and Saint Mary's students his doctorate from Yale University in 1982. He joined the Notre Dame faculty in 1989 following appointments at Johns Hopkins and Princeton Universities.

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Los Angeles (AP) — Three policemen broke Police Department policy by kicking or beating Rodney King after he had fallen, a police official testified Wednesday in the officers' federal trial.

Sgt. Mark Conia, head of physical training and self-defense at the Los Angeles Police Academy, said Officer Laurence Powell should have stopped beating King after his baton blows knocked King to the ground.

"An officer should use only the force that is reasonable and necessary to overcome a suspect's resistance," Conia said. "Officer Powell was completely outside of LAPD policy."

Powell, who struck King the most times, is on trial along with Officer Theodore Briseno, former officer Timothy Wind and Sgt. Stacey Koon on charges of violating King's civil rights.

The four were acquitted of most charges in a state trial last April, involving off three days of deadly riots in Los Angeles.

Wednesday marked the second anniversary of the beating, which was videotaped by a witness and broadcast on ABC's "20/20." The beating was completely within LAPD policy," said George Smith, co-president of the Los Angeles Police Protective League.


The C.S.C.E. includes every country in Europe except Macedonia," Schlager elaborated.

The C.S.C.E. has become less effective in human rights and the evolution of traditional human rights issues, she said. Schlager defines traditional human rights issues as problems including political prisoners, and prisoners of conscience.

The C.S.C.E. is perilously close to a "conspiracy of silence," Schlager said. Since they do not have the answers to current human rights issues, they have remained silent. "If it is to help, the C.S.C.E. must find its voice...and flesh out the parameters of these issues," Schlager asserted.

This speech was sponsored by the Joan Kroc Institute for International Peace Studies.
**Ferry accident in Congo; death toll may top 200**

**BRAZzAVILLE, Congo (AP) —** Dozens of victims who drowned in a river ferry were buried in mass graves Wednesday. Unconfirmed reports said the death toll may top 200, most of them Zairians ordered expelled by Congolese officials.

Congo, which has set a Friday deadline for illegal immigrants to leave the country, reported 147 people died in the Sunday accident. That would make it one of the world’s deadliest river ferry disasters in years.

And that is only in the past few weeks. Other investigations sending tremors down the river have produced more highfliers implicated in a scandal, the size and scope of which has set a new deadlier river ferry standard in years.

**Italy’s elite running from spreading scandal**

ROME (AP) — The latest highfliers implicated in a spreading scandal are Italy’s cement king, a financier who challenged for the America’s Cup, and the brother of a former premier And that is only in the past few weeks. With the Milan judges’ investigations sending tremors down the river of power, the government this week rushed to limit the damage before the scandals end “in a cemetery of closed factories and hungry people,” in the words of Justice Minister Giovanni Conso.

Conso has recommended that those who confess their guilt and give back the money be permitted to avoid jail or get reduced sentences. The country cannot endure years of drawn-out investigations that cast doubt and suspicion on its industry and institutions, Conso said.

Some see this as a whitewash. “The attempt to seek a political solution for the guilty would prove the latest outrage to the conscience and the excessive patience of the Italian people,” said Umberto Bossi, leader of the upstart Northern League, the party expected to gain the most from the scandals.

But before the cease-fire and withdrawal can take place, the warring parties must agree to the other points of the peace plan: a proposed division of Bosnia into 10 provinces, and arrangements on an interim government and the country’s constitutional principles. The three sides have been at odds over the proposed map.

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**Warring Afghan leaders agree to share power**

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP) — The leaders of Afghanistan’s two main factions reportedly agreed Wednesday to share power in their shattered homeland for 18 months, then hold elections.

President Burhanuddin Rabbani and his rival, Gulbuddin Hekmatyar, met for the first time since the Communist government fell last April.

Since then, they have battled for control of their homeland. In a struggle for the capital alone, the Communists have raised thousands of rockets on Kabul, killing an estimated 5,000 people, wounding countless more and flattening entire neighborhoods.

Prime Minister Nawaz Sharif of Pakistan called the chiefs of Afghanistan’s factions to Islamabad on Monday to try to mediate an end to their bitter feud.

Pakistan delivered billions of dollars in military assistance much of it from the United States — to the groups when they were fighting the Soviet-backed government in Kabul. In announcing the power-sharing agreement, Rabbani said “all sides have shown flexibility.”

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Developer of oral polio vaccine dies

WASHINGTON (AP) — Health pioneer Albert Sabin, the immigrant whose oral vaccine helped to all but eliminate the scourge of crippling polio in the industrialized world, died Wednesday. He was 86.

"His accomplishments in the area of poliomyelitis are monumental because the vaccine that he developed was one that could be given so easily to so many people," said Dr. William Schaffner, president of Children's Hospital Medical Center in Cincinnati where Sabin worked for 30 years.

"He enriched my life, and I think he enriched the lives of many people," said Heloisa Sabin, his wife of 20 years.


Because it was dispensed on a sugar cube, it rapidly replaced an injected killed-virus vaccine developed seven years earlier by Jonas Salk. Not only was it easier to take and administer, it provided longer protection.

Between 1962 and 1964, 100 million Americans swallowed the cube, many on "Sabin Sundays" organized by doctors and health departments.

The medical world remembered Sabin with admiration.

Salk called Sabin's death "a great loss ... His contributions toward the control of polio will endure long in the future."

"One of the great pioneers of medical research in our century," said Hiroshi Nakajima, director general of the World Health Organization, which predicts that polio will be eradicated worldwide by the year 2000.

"A genius who devoted his life to his fellow man ... an international scientific giant," said Dr. James Edwards, president of the Medical University of South Carolina where Sabin was a research professor for eight years.

Nuts may sharply lower cholesterol

WASHINGTON (AP) — Could the next health craze be, quite literally, nuts? A new study concludes that they lower cholesterol.

Just how is a matter of dispute. But researchers have accumulated different lines of evidence suggesting that nuts in general, and walnuts in particular, are good for the heart.

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The study, funded by the California Walnut Commission, was published in Thursday's New England Journal of Medicine.

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"We've been saying for a long time that there is light at the end of the tunnel. This is a big beacon," Klein said.

ALS stands for amyotrophic lateral sclerosis, which became known as Lou Gehrig's disease for the New York Yankees star who died of the illness in 1941.

The progressively paralyzing disease affects an estimated 30,000 Americans at any given time, according to the association.

Faulty genes are blamed for only about 5 percent to 10 percent of cases. The cause of far more common sporadic cases is unknown.

But the new discovery's implications also may apply to sporadic cases, since genetic and sporadic ALS produce identical symptoms and progression, researchers said.

The gene normally helps the body destroy toxic substances called free radicals. If it is defective, it may lead to an excessive buildup of free radicals that then damages tissue, researchers said.

If that causes ALS, drugs that destroy free radicals may be able to slow or halt the disorder, researchers said.

Such "antioxidant" drugs are already being tested for other diseases.

"It raises the possibility that antioxidant therapies may be beneficial, but clearly more investigation is going to be required," said Dr. Robert Brown, senior author of the new report and associate professor of neurology at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston.

Some vitamins are antioxidants, but Brown said he would not advise them as an ALS treatment.

"Nobody should do anything without talking to a physician," said Robert Horvitz, a Howard Hughes Medical Institute investigator at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in Boston and another senior author.

It is not clear yet whether antioxidant therapy would help and it might even do harm, he said.

Dr. Stanley Appel, director of the Muscular Dystrophy Association ALS Research Center at the Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, called the work "an extremely interesting paper and hopefully very important."

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If that causes ALS, drugs that destroy free radicals may be able to slow or halt the disorder, researchers said.

Such "antioxidant" drugs are already being tested for other diseases.

"It raises the possibility that antioxidant therapies may be beneficial, but clearly more investigation is going to be required," said Dr. Robert Brown, senior author of the new report and associate professor of neurology at Massachusetts General Hospital in Boston.

Some vitamins are antioxidants, but Brown said he would not advise them as an ALS treatment.

"Nobody should do anything without talking to a physician," said Robert Horvitz, a Howard Hughes Medical Institute investigator at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in Boston and another senior author.

It is not clear yet whether antioxidant therapy would help and it might even do harm, he said.

Dr. Stanley Appel, director of the Muscular Dystrophy Association ALS Research Center at the Baylor College of Medicine in Houston, called the work "an extremely interesting paper and hopefully very important."

Hitting the beach

With their bags already packed, two Dillon Hall juniors leave for spring break early.

Happy 20th Birthday, Heather Arnold!

Love, Kate, Ana, Chrissy, Suzy, Katy & Erica

(We wanted to be in The Observer, too)
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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Holocaust greater evil than abortion

Dear Editor:

In his article "Abortion Can Not Be Worse Than The Holocaust" (The Observer, Feb. 26), Father Griffin tries to address some very issues that have come out of the tensions produced by the abortion debate. While I appreciate the sincerity of his effort to find a rational agreement on an issue that is tearing our society apart, it seems to me that some response must be made.

Father Griffin speaks of the Catholic bishop who compared abortion to the Nazi holocaust, but also apologizes for him. "He is right too, according to his own lights." But no defense should be offered for so heinous a comparison.

Individual decisions to terminate pregnancies, which are often made by women in desperate circumstances, have nothing in common with the organized slaughter of millions of full-grown adults and children. Whatever personal position we may take on the very personal issue of abortion, surely we must see this difference. Not to would be a very dangerous kind of personalizing.

This is just not the kind of principle which should even need spelling out: systematic genocide of whole populations is the most horrendous evil of which human beings are capable, and any bishop who compares that heresy to a process of very different personal choices made by individual parents, should not be a bishop.

For that reason I have to criticize Father Griffin as well for comparing memories of Rachel and Buber with their thousands of corpses, to his own memory of the embryo sampler box. I have no doubt that the suffering of the man and his wife after such miscarriage were real, but their disease is infinitesimal next to the agony of the Holocaust.

But Father Griffin suggests that we take the comparision of such incommensurables because they have a different view than "us Christians" and don't believe that an embryo is holy and that is a descending insult and a serious distortion of reality. Being harrased at the abortion equals holocaust comparison should not require any peculiarity Jewish point of view.

Every person with a conscious should protest, including atheists. And Father Griffin should apologize for implying that if Jews resent the comparison, it must be because they think human life utterly inconsequential. That does not follow, and it was never the issue to begin with.

At risk of diluting the main point here, I want to add a further suggestion: Christian and Jewish theologians regarding the unborn are probably not, in fact, far apart at all. Father Griffin mentions the Catholic fundamentalist argument that the Spirit is prompt in conferring holiness and humanity at the moment of conception. But the Spirit, the imago dei in the moment of conception. But that makes us unique persons. The image of God signifies the profoundness of the human spirit, the capacity of the son of such incommensurables, that is tearing our society apart.

A comparison.

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ALLEY DANSER McCordace Hall

Thursday's Verse

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GARRY TRUDEAU

QUOTE OF THE DAY

"I am a czar—a slave, I am a worm—a god."

G.R. Derzhavin

Are you a czar, or what? Submit:

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"WHY, THUTTLE, RINGING IN YOUR EARS? WHY, MY EYES A REEKING?"

"I FULLY EXPECT TO DIE IN SMOKING POLITICAL OPERATIONS."

"IT'S A RUBE! IT'S A RUBE! I DON'T KNOW WHAT I'M DOING!"

"WEEK CLASS?"

"I'M NOT WORKING!"

"SIR, COULD YOU SHUT UP ONE OF THESE TIMES, BAYB?"

Conversation between King Philip of Spain and God.
Gender Studies gives students a look at societal gender relations

By MARY SCHULTZE

American Feminist Fiction, studies because defined gender roles have been different departments.

Yet in the patriarchal environment of Notre Dame, the fact that Gender Studies does offer many courses dealing with women's issues is what attracts many concentrators. "Since women's issues are generally ignored, I assumed gender studies would focus on women's studies," said Realle. "I took a history course on women in America that paid attention to what women were doing in early American history when the usual textbooks only mention men's contributions."

The strength of many Gender Studies courses is that they are different and investigate the underlying gender relations and how it affects the understanding of history, literature, film, etc. One of the problems facing Gender Studies is attracting more students, particularly males, to its courses. "Because classes have their homes in many major departments, hopefully more male students will become aware of these issues as an intellectual endeavor," said Collins. She also stressed that more women need to take up the course of studying and pursuing gender relations.

As the university hires more women, the concentration will have the same meaning of gender relations as a concentration and eventually achieve its long-term goal of becoming a major, according to Collins. She would also like to see more male students "take up a politicized role more actively."

"The future of academic feminism is activism and activism begins in pedagogy," said Collins, quoting a recent essay on feminist studies.

The Gender Studies program faces a variety of challenges as it aims to appeal to the student body, while remaining focused on an intellectual examination of gender relations. "It is an academic discipline," stressed Collins. "Hopefully students will become more aware of these issues as an intellectual endeavor."

Currently Gender Studies emphasizes the academic importance of gender relations but this does not imply the possibility of extending the lessons outside the classroom. Collins believes that through the examination of gender relations in an academic environment, students can become aware of how they can impact both their intellectual and social life on campus.

Some professors found that they had to change their styles of teaching because of the new women. Hoffman said he had taught for 25 years like a marine core drill instructor, a style appreciated by macho 18-year-olds. But he thought women might like something a little different, and found that a father-figure role worked better with his female students.

"Of course I didn't change any of the academic requirements," he added.

Primarily, the first year was one of trial and error, making up adjustments to find what suited the needs of both women and men. "There were tensions," said English Professor Josephine Ford.

"They were not perils times, but some tense times," Hoffman said. But overall, most faculty and administrators considered the academic climate the most positive result of coeducation, said Dr. John Freshman Justin Taylor and Maria Strunsky study in the Hesburgh Library.
changes ND academics

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"I still think that women students have small voices," Collins said.

Women don't speak out in classes for several reasons, said Avallone. Many women find if they express a feminist opinion, professors will often call on them as the "class feminist," a label that is often considered demeaning, she said.

Other women have found that "gender specific name-calling" occurs in the classroom, and there is still the fear that men won't date women who appear too intelligent, she added.

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Senior Mark Schmidt team with classmate Ron Rosas for a big win at number two doubles in Indiana's 5-1 win over Indiana Wednesday.

The Observer/Janet Peters

Connolly

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**Strong bench play helps lift men's volleyball over UIC**

**By KEVIN DOLAN**

Sports Writer

The Irish men's volleyball team played tightly with three-game match from Illinois-Chicago (15-2, 15-11, 15-13) Wednesday night with key performances from a developing talent. All five starters put up strong numbers for the team.

Fifth-year senior Chris Murray was the star off the bench for the Irish in the match, setting Brian Cepson up for the kill that ended game two and highlighted the Irish scoring. Murray's smashes and aces were key in this match.

The usual strong performers were turned in by Matt Stratman, Tom Koval, and Dave Held in the third match, and it was a jovial mood in the locker room after the match.

"It was a lot of fun tonight," said sophomore Jen Bayliss. "We probably won't face a team this easy again this season, it was good to get everybody in.

According to Madden, the Flames were less than prepared for the game. They didn't really look like they wanted to play," said Madden.

Madden, Cepson and Leo Casas were taken out early in the game three is all but two points in the close game. Although Madden had some concerns about Miguel Asencio, Bill Ramey and Matt Limitocio took the floor and both ended up with crucial kills late in the game.

"I think if we could have played another point or two in the third, we played right through," said Cepson. Strong performances of the Irish for the Mar 19 and 20, when they face Chicago on Michigan and Illinois, respectively.

The Irish played their best volleyball of last season against Illinois on March 6 and hope to repeat performance on the 20th. In the meantime Cepson said, "We could all use a break."
The naming and the healing

Perhaps you remember this story: Many years ago, out in the country, Jesus was confronted with a man possessed by the devil. Before healing the man, Jesus addressed the evil spirit, and when he did so he asked the devil for his name. The devil was not so easily tricked. He replied: "My name is Legion, for we are many."

An insignificant little story, perhaps, but it is one that we could spend a long time mulling over during these Lenten days.

There was a reason the devil would not give Jesus his name. In Old Testament times, people believed that there was a real power in naming. They were loath to allow those who chose their names to anyone, for fear that theatter would have some kind of control over them. It is very different from our society, where we'll plaster our names just about anywhere, from license plates to tee-shirts. Signing our names or disclosing our identities doesn't seem to have the sacredness it once did.

But in some ways, our ability to name, and the power that can happen in that naming, is just as significant as it was two thousand years ago. This is especially true when it comes to things that have control over us.

Many things can control our lives — they are legion, just as the devil cunningly observed in the story above. They may be destructive habits, like alcohol and substance abuse, or an eating disorder. Or we may be controlled by events from the past that seem not to fade from our memory. People experience great struggles with loneliness and depression. Relationships that are treasured and enjoy the stability of a couple of them are pretty close.

One of the greatest examples of the power of naming, and the healing that comes from it, is rooted in the experience of the addict. The first step toward recovery is to accept the fact that you are what you are, and that you cannot control who you are. In that moment, a long process of healing begins. There is a total acceptance — a naming, if you will — of one's condition or predicament. The healing stems from that moment of truth and revelation.

Thankfully, we can name more than the dark habits of our life. The truth of naming is just as powerful when we identify those things that can help us out of our dilemmas. These are the tools that help us focus on hope, or help us derive some inspiration out of our everyday struggles. What are these tools? Where can their names be found?

One of the greatest tools we have is the knowledge that we are never far from God's embrace. There is a powerful reading that many around here are fond of, called "Footprints in the Sand." It speaks of the truth that, especially during moments of intense adversity and loneliness, God is always present.

Another great tool is inspiration, the kind we get when we read something very profound, or listen to beautiful music. The Psalms are songs — love poetry, as it were, of God's continued relationship with humanity. In the psalms can be found many inspiring tools that can help us shape our lives.

Steven C. Warner

SCRIPTY READING FOR THIS COMING SUNDAY

1ST READING Genesis 12, 1-4
2ND READING 2 Timothy 1, 8-10
GOSPEL Matthew 17, 1-9
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We Still Employ Great Thinkers

By JASON KELLY

Sports Writer

Records can be distracting. Worrying about breaking a record can shift the focus from the game at hand.

Muffie McGraw doesn't expect that to happen tonight against Butler as she tries to become Notre Dame's winningest

women's basketball coach.

"The only record we're con-

cerned about is six straight

MCC championships," McGraw

said, referring to Notre Dame's

dominance in the Midwestwestern

Conference Collegiate tourna-

ment in recent years.

McGraw is currently tied with

Mary DiNanMiao with 115

wins, but breaking the record

won't be an easy task tonight

against Butler.

The Bulldogs already clinched the MCC regular-season title and they handed the Irish an

83-70 loss in January.

Butler brings a talented

squad into tonight's game, led

by the VanDellings, who

scored 25 points in the last

meeting. Angela Cotton and

Mary Majewski each added 15.

"They're talented and they

have a lot of experience," Mc-

graw said. "They can beat you

from anywhere on the floor."

Notre Dame is much im-

proved since the last meeting

with Butler, winning six of its

last seven. including a 91-63

win.

Junior captain Matt Osiecki (6G, 9A), and Hasselman (6G, 1A).

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Schafer.

After this weekend's contests,

the Irish will most likely face

Michigan in the first round of a

best of three CCHA playoffs

series in Ann Arbor on March

12-14.

Hockey

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Candidate in the CCHA, has

registered 11 goals and dished

out 26 assists to lead the Irish

in scoring for the season.

Other Irish weapons include

freshman Brent Brosnihan (6G, 7A), junior captain Matt Osiecki

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Seniors

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goals in his career, but his

presence has been appreciated.

"Eric Deneen is a long way in his

development, and we'll miss his

competitiveness," Schafer said.

"The senior defensivemen have

taught me a lot, and I've gained

valuable experience from them," said freshman David

Dalgliesh.

The Irish will lose one of their

goalkeepers with the gradu-

ation of Steven Point, WI native,

Carl Picconato. Picconato typi-

fies the true student athlete with

a cumulative 3.77 GPA in

chemistry.

"He's a pleasure to be around
daily, and he's a scholar and

gentleman," said Schafer.

Picconato, a valuable backup

throughout his career, cracked

the lineup in November and

registered the Irish's first win of

the year on November 20.

"It was a dream to play col-

lege hockey and Notre Dame

gave me the opportunity," he

realized. "It's sad to be leaving,

but the team is pumped for a

win."

The other three seniors are

forwards. Marvin, a three year

monogram winner from War-

road, MN, has contributed 18

goals in his career.

"I think he's played his hard-
est on every shift in his entire

career, which is a tribute to his

work ethic," said Schafer.

"I have mixed feelings about

ending my career," said Marvin.

"It's been a long year, and I

want to leave the Joyce on a

high note."

"My whole career has been

worthwhile, and our class has a

lot to be proud of," he added.

"I want to thank the fans for sup-

porting us for four years."

Bankoske, an assistant capt-

ain from Williamsville, NY, has

had the opportunity to be a part

of Notre Dame hockey for five

years because of a wrist injury

suffered last season.

"He's a gifted athlete and a

real gentleman," said Schafer.

Bankoske has 177 career

points and ranks eighth all time

on the Irish assist list. "It's ex-

tra special, because I've been

here five years," he said. "It will

be weird to reminisce about all

the memories I've experienced

on and off the ice."

As the Irish close out their

first season of CCHA play, the

seniors leave behind a young and
talented squad. "We're a couple

years behind some of the top

teams, but we're coming along

and I appreciate the efforts of our senior class,"
Adamson a bright spot in loss

BY DOMINIC AMOROSA

The Observer

The Notre Dame men’s basketball team ended their home schedule with a disappointing 80-66 loss to Valparaiso last night. The Irish finished the year with only four wins at home. However, on the bright side, Matt Adamson, a third year senior walk-on ended his home career in grand fashion.

Adamson, a 6-3 guard from Fair Oaks, CA, started his first game and scored a career high eight points while playing career best 20 minutes. Also, he had three steals and numerous deflections throughout the game.

"He had a great game," said Irish coach John MacLeod. "We didn’t plan on playing him so much, but he was playing so well that we left him in. It was exciting to start, and I played as hard as I could," commented Adamson. "It was sad to lose the game."

"We walked off the court for the final time was tough," he added.

Although he’s not a captain, Adamson commands attention. "He’s a leader and he always has intelligent things to say," said senior co-captain Monty Williams.

"It’s a great asset to our program and he’s just a great guy," added junior co-captain Brooks Boyer. "I’m just glad I got the opportunity to be around him for three years."

"He proved tonight that he’s a good player," added Boyer. "He has a great future in whatever he decides to do."

Adamson has endured three seasons of bungling bodies during practice, but he’s enjoyed every minute.

"This game was my most memorable moment, but this season wasn’t the season we lost," he said. "It’s been a great three years."

The surprising play of Adamson limited freshman guard Ryan Hoover to only nine minutes of action, while the starting guard Lamarr Justice registered only ten minutes.

Men’s swim team prepares for Easterns

BY ALLISON MCCARTHY

Sports Writer

After a disappointing loss to LaSalle at last weekend’s Midwestern Collegiate Conference Championships, the Notre Dame men’s swim team travels to Cleveland State today to compete in the Eastern Inter-collegiate Swimming and Diving Championships.

"The team is really excited and we’re looking forward to swimming fast," said freshman Tim Sanzogni. "The competition at Easterns is always tough, but we’re looking to win it."

The Irish, who placed third last season, will face difficult competition from St. Bonaventure, Southern Illinois, Villanova, and host Cleveland State among other teams.

"We had a letdown last weekend at MCCcs, but we feel very prepared for this meet," said Head Coach Tim Welsh. "It’s hard to train for two championship meets in a row, but the men feel rested."

In their dual meet season, Notre Dame defeated both St. Bonaventure and Cleveland State on the road.

"The Bonnies always provide great competition for us," said Welsh. "Our dual meet this year was very close, and we expect the same kind of competition from them this weekend."

The Irish will be led by senior Colin Cooley, who will attempt to qualify for the NCAA Championships that take place at the end of the month.

"This weekend has been the focus of our season," Cooley stated. "Cleveland is a great pool to qualify for NCAA’s. The coach has prepared me well and I’m just hoping to swim well."

Junior Sean Hyer, who will compete in the diving events for the Irish this weekend, will also compete next weekend in the NCAA Zone Diving Championships at the University of Michigan. The top eight finishers of the meet will qualify for the NCAA Championship. Hyer will perform eleven dives on both the one and three meter boards.

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RecSports women’s safety and self-defense classes are beginning March 16 from 5-6 p.m. at Rockne Memorial. Call 631-6100 for more information.

Final Bookstore basketball sign-ups will be March 4 from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. in SUB office for a $10 fee.

Alkido Club will have practice from 6-8 p.m. on Monday and Wednesday from 2-4 p.m. on Friday in 219 Rockne. Beginners are welcome.

Ultimate Club will be practicing March 4 at 10 a.m. Bring $10 membership fee.

Fellowship of Christian Athletes will meet tonight at 7 p.m. in the basement of Farley. Everyone is welcome. Please call E.D. at 634-1276 with questions.

The last cheerleading clinic before break will be tonight at 7 p.m. in gym 4 of the JACC.

The Mechanical Priests defeated High Ball’s to win the Co-Rec volleyball championship Tuesday night. Karl Kowalski, Susan Schaeffer, Amy Richardson and Danielle Mahaffey led the winning team.

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John MacLeod said of his squad’s 20 turnovers. "They play as a team, stick their nose in there, and make you pay."

The Irish paid dearly during a 3-4 stretch in which they could not manage a hoop. Williams finally made a basket with 2:10 remaining, but the Crusaders cruised to the win with 10 straight free throws in the last 1:47.

Adamson, in the first start of his three-year career, contributed two rebounds and three steals in 20 minutes of playing time.

"We did not plan on playing him so much, but he was playing well so we left him in," MacLeod said of the senior guard.

Adamson appreciated a final moment in the spotlight, but like his teammates, he couldn’t ignore the disappointing end to the season.

"I had a great three years," Adamson said. "I’ve had a lot of fun. But it’s a sad way to end it, losing this game. Walking out, all I could do was look at the scoreboard and it was real sad. Give Valparaiso credit, though. They have a nice team."
On this particular day, Rory the raccoon was hunting frogs at his favorite stream, and the pleasant background music told him that Mr. Mountain Lion was nowhere around.

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It won't be a relaxing vacation for the Notre Dame baseball team
By JENNY MARTEN
Associate Sports Editor

This won’t be a relaxing spring break. Playing three top-10 teams and the California Angels in seven days, the Notre Dame baseball team won’t have much time to work on their lineup during a seven-game road trip.

For the 1993 team this results in frustration. Through thirty two games this year, the Irish hockey team has battled to a somewhat disappointing record of 7-23-2.

To the average Notre Dame sports fan, these numbers would indicate that the hockey squad is a rather unlikely candidate for a CCHA championship.

Numbers can be deceiving. The 1992-93 edition of the Notre Dame hockey team should not be judged solely in terms of its record. Further examination of their performance this year reveals that the Irish have played competitively against many of the best teams in the country and that they could clearly be a .500 team right now had a few more pucks bounced their way.

This season has been marked by a number of major upsets which have made a strong impact on the success of the team. The most significant achievement the Irish encountered was surprising the Central Collegiate Hockey Association, a league which is considered by many to be the premier college hockey league in the nation.

The Irish have also had a major revamping of their lineup with the addition of nine playing freshmen.

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Before encountering the CCHA, the Irish squad eight years playing as an independent against teams which varied greatly in terms of talent. By jumping to the CCHA the Irish joined a league which has produced four of the last nine national champions, including last year’s winner, Lake Superior State.

A three of the team’s 23 losses this season have come from the hands of teams which are ranked in the top ten in the nation. The Irish have also posted one six-goal game, which leads the CCHA and two two-goal losses.

If the outcomes of these tough contests were reversed the Irish would have had a 15-7-2 record and a fantastic accomplishment by a team in its first season of CCHA play.

The Irish were disadvantaged earlier in the season by inexperience against teams of CCHA caliber. They lost their first eight games of the year against their league opponents, a streak which was ended when they tied the University of Illinois-Chicago at the UC Pavilion on November 14. After garnering that point the Irish went on to capture six of their next eleven contests, a stretch which finished with the squad going 2-2-0.

Since then the Irish have been plagued by injuries to key players. Captain Matt O’Shea, alternate captain Curtis Janicke, and Chris Morschhead have all missed games due to minor injuries. Both Janicke, who has missed six games since the team went on its tear, is tied for the team lead in goals and second in overall scoring.

Hockey looks for a win in home finale
By DOMINIC AMOROSA
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame Hockey team concludes regular season play in the Central Collegiate Hockey Association with a home game tonight against Bowling Green (5-7-5 overall) and a Saturday night road game at Michigan State (21-12-2 overall; 7-9-2 in CCHA).

Notre Dame enters the game with a 7-23-2 overall record after dropping two games last weekend to CCHA powers Western Michigan and Michigan.

The Irish currently hold tenth place in the CCHA standings, while Bowling Green ranks seventh.

"We’ll honor our seniors before the game, and hopefully win one for them," said senior Dave Counsell.

Notre Dame's senior leading the team in goals is senior Brett Harkins, and he has scored 24 goals in his last 28 games.

"We’re a little banged up, but everybody needs production from designated hitter and comeback kid, Korey Wrobleski. Wrobleski injured his back before his freshman season started and now after four years he’s back in action.

On its second, the Irish are led by an experienced pitching staff which has earned a reputation as hard-working and hard-nosed.

Leading the returners from the Irish pitching staff is senior Mark Price (LHP, 2.80). Chris Michalak (LHP, 10.5-2.98) and Pat Leahy (RHP, 2.50) will share the duties behind the plate.

Senior Notre Dame infield, hurt by the loss of Mee and Counsell, will rely on several younger players. Hau will step in at first, junior Greg Layson will continue his work at second.

Monty Williams shoots over Valpo's defense. His 29 points weren't enough to lead the Irish to victory.

New faces, new beginning for Bowling Green
By DAN PIER
Sports Writer

The Notre Dame basketball squad entered last night's contest against Valparaiso determined to salvage at least one win from a dismal second half of the season.

The Irish had to settle, however, for five performances by their lone graduating senior and their top scorer in an 86-66 loss to the Crusaders.

Matt Adamson, who scored two double digit points, and Monty Williams, who scored in 29, were the only two Irish players to enter Saturday's contest.

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It was a 20-20 contest until midway through the half, when Valparaiso scored seven straight points to put the Irish behind.

The Irish were never concerned with Williams at halftime, said Valparaiso head coach Homer Drew. "We're a little banged up, so everybody will get it done. They're not necessarily great pitchers. They're just winners," said Murphy.

In general, the defense is weakened by expense. Four players are at new positions making the defense game-day

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